To: Allgeier, Steve[Allgeier.Steve@epa.gov]

From: Arguto, William

Sent: Fri 1/24/2014 9:17:48 PM

Subject: Re: ACTION: Fwd: [On Deadline]: MCHM and Activated Charcoal -- for

TheSurvivalDoctor.com; ddl: 1/20 (the holiday)

Ex. 5 - Deliberative

Thanks again

From: Allgeier, Steve

Sent: Friday, January 24, 2014 4:04:10 PM

To: Arguto, William

Cc: Wisniewski, Patti-Kay; Travers, David

Subject: RE: ACTION: Fwd: [On Deadline]: MCHM and Activated Charcoal -- for

TheSurvivalDoctor.com; ddl: 1/20 (the holiday)

Bill,

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From: Arguto, William

Sent: Friday, January 24, 2014 12:30 PM

To: Allgeier, Steve **Cc:** Wisniewski, Patti-Kay

Subject: RE: ACTION: Fwd: [On Deadline]: MCHM and Activated Charcoal -- for TheSurvivalDoctor.com; ddl: 1/20 (the holiday)

Ex. 5 - Deliberative

Thanks

From: Allgeier, Steve

Sent: Friday, January 24, 2014 9:34 AM **To:** Arguto, William; Travers, David

Cc: binetti, victoria; Wisniewski, Patti-Kay; Burneson, Eric

Subject: RE: ACTION: Fwd: [On Deadline]: MCHM and Activated Charcoal -- for TheSurvivalDoctor.com; ddl:

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From: Arguto, William

Sent: Thursday, January 23, 2014 8:51 AM **To:** Allgeier, Steve; Travers, David

Cc: binetti, victoria; Wisniewski, Patti-Kay; Burneson, Eric

Subject: RE: ACTION: Fwd: [On Deadline]: MCHM and Activated Charcoal -- for TheSurvivalDoctor.com; ddl:

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Steve:

Some of the latest issues re the WV spill pertain to lack of confidence in the water supply. People are not drinking the water due to uncertainty of it's quality. The distribution system will be sampled throughout until they get to Non Detects at 10 PPB. **Ex. 5 - Deliberative**

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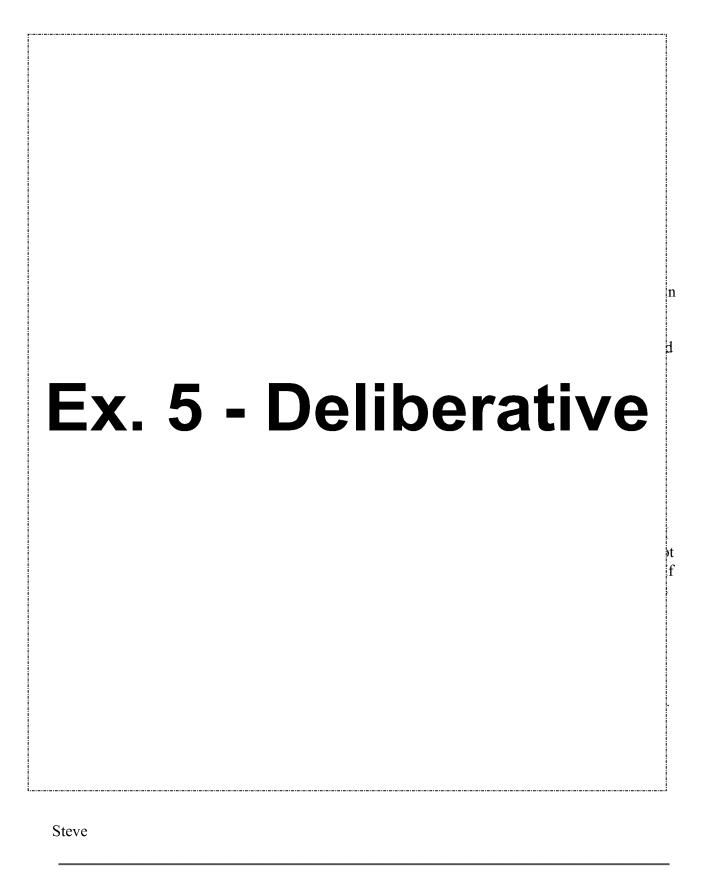
From: Allgeier, Steve

Sent: Sunday, January 19, 2014 10:17 AM To: Arguto, William; Travers, David Cc: binetti, victoria; Wisniewski, Patti-Kay

Subject: RE: ACTION: Fwd: [On Deadline]: MCHM and Activated Charcoal -- for TheSurvivalDoctor.com; ddl:

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Bill,



From: Arguto, William

Sent: Saturday, January 18, 2014 5:32 PM
To: Travers, David; Allgeier, Steve

Cc: binetti, victoria; Wisniewski, Patti-Kay

Subject: FW: ACTION: Fwd: [On Deadline]: MCHM and Activated Charcoal -- for

The Survival Doctor.com; ddl: 1/20 (the holiday)

David, Steve

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Thanks

Bill Arguto

EPA Region 3

Drinking Water Branch Chief

From: binetti, victoria

Sent: Saturday, January 18, 2014 4:36 PM

To: Arguto, William

Cc: duteau, helen; Wisniewski, Patti-Kay

Subject: Fw: ACTION: Fwd: [On Deadline]: MCHM and Activated Charcoal -- for TheSurvivalDoctor.com; ddl:

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Helen, pls include Bill in these emails, as I'll be out of pocket a bit.--Vicky

From: duteau, helen

Sent: Saturday, January 18, 2014 3:19:53 PM

To: Hodgkiss, Kathy; Burns, Francis; Werner, Lora; binetti, victoria; Capacasa, Jon

Cc: Garvin, Shawn; White, Terri-A

Subject: Fw: ACTION: Fwd: [On Deadline]: MCHM and Activated Charcoal -- for

The Survival Doctor.com; ddl: 1/20 (the holiday)

Ex. 5 - Deliberative

From: Jones, Enesta

Sent: Saturday, January 18, 2014 3:09:04 PM

To: Cohen, Nancy; duteau, helen; Smith, Bonnie; Thomas, Latosha; Deitz, Randy

Cc: Bloomgren, David; Behringer, Caroline; Hull, George; Jones, Enesta

Subject: ACTION: Fwd: [On Deadline]: MCHM and Activated Charcoal -- for TheSurvivalDoctor.com;

ddl: 1/20 (the holiday)

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Sent: Saturday, January 18, 2014 2:27:08 PM

To: Jones, Enesta

Subject: Fwd: [On Deadline]: MCHM and Activated Charcoal?

P.S. Hi, Enesta. I forgot to mention that apparently Eastman, the company behind the spill, is using powdered activated charcoal in the clean-up, so that especially makes me wonder about my question below. Thanks again.

 Subject: [On Deadline]: MCHM and Activated Charcoal?

Date: January 17, 2014 at 8:33:03 PM MST

To: press@epa.gov

Cc: jones.enesta@epa.gov

Dear EPA,

I emailed Cathy Milbourn and received an auto response directing me your way. I have a question about the West Virginia chemical spill. Could you tell me whether activated charcoal for home use (like in a special water bottle or a filter you can attach to your faucet) will work on MCHM? I've searched and searched for an answer and can't even find a "nobody knows," so anything would help.

This is for an article on <u>TheSurvivalDoctor.com</u> scheduled for Monday. This evidence-based blog written by a family doctor is the number-one survival-medicine site. It receives almost 400,000 unique visitors per month.

Thank you in advance for any help you could provide,

Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy

Editorial Consultant